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In re U.S. Patent Application of)
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Application Number: 10/803,910) **Examiner**
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For: A STORAGE CONTROL DEVICE FOR LONGEVITY)
OF THE DISK SPINDLES BASED UPON ACCESS OF)
HARD DISK DRIVES (AS AMENDED))
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Sir:

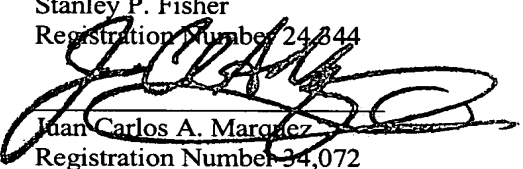
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